IT Reading matter on every page. See outalde for interesting telegraphic and other matter. OUR FRIENDS at the various military camps and

positions will confer a favor by keeping us posted

as to movements and affairs in their vicinities. Though THE STAR is printed on the faster steam press in ure south of Baltimore, its edition is so large as to require it to be put to press at ar early hour : Adversasements, therefore, should be sent in before 12 o'clock M.; otherwise they may not appear until the next day.

Spirit of the Morning Press. The Intelligencer notices the motion of Mr Porter, of Ind., to reconsider the vote whereby the general emancipation bill was lost, and in commenting upon the amendment proposed to confiscate the slaves of all "who shall not within sixty days after public warning and proclamation duly given and made by the President of the United States cease to aid, countenance or abet the rebellion" argues that the clause is unjust, for

of the conscription and other acts. The Republican finds fault with Gen. Halleck for the rebel evacuation of Corinth.

there are many in the South, true and loyal, who

are forced into the rebel service by the operation

----COMMUNICATION WITH THE GUNBOATS .- A COLrespondent of the Philadelphia Inquirer, with McClellan's Army, gives the particulars of an achievement of Lieut. Frank C. Davis, of Averill's 3d Pennsylvania Cavalry. He was despatched, on Sunday last, with a small rquad to open communication between the land forces and the gunboats opposite City Point, on the James river, and succeeded in his enterprise.

The Episcopal Convention of this diocese held in Baltimore has adjourned. No discussions were had on national affairs. The disloyal members having the majority vented their sentiments by excluding from the standing committee and from the delegation to the General Convention nearly every loyal man who was named for those positions.

From James Sheehy, 452 Seventh street, agent for Washington of the London Printing and Publishing Company, we have from No. 1 to No. 8, inclusive, of the handsomely illustrated "Biographical Sketches of the Military and Navai Heroes, Statesmen and Orators distinguished in this American crisis," edited by Frank Moore.

Delp M. Brodhead, Esq , of this city, has been appointed by the President to fill the vacancy in the Board of Emancipation Commissioners. created by the death of Mr. Vinton.

PERSONAL .- Col. G. Clay Smith, U. S. A., is at

Hon. W. J. Allen, Ill., is at Kirkwood's.

FROM NORTH CAROLINA .- A Hopeful and Genwine Union Manifestation -The late reports from North Carolina give gra ifying accounts of the growing opposition to secession in the old North State. It is now pretty well settled, that the State Constitutional Convention which "seceded," is in existence, and now pretty sick of secession. The northern part of North Carolina, comparatively free from slaves, it is said, decided in Convention to submit the following tax on

"The annual tax on all slaves over 5 and less than 10 years of age is \$5; over 10 and less than 15. \$10; over 15 and less than 20, \$15; over 20 and less 45, 820."

This measure, it is now reported, has become law, by a large majority, and is now embodied in the State Constitutin. The large slaveholders in (Southern) North Carolina opposed this mode of faxation, but the small holders and non-slaveholders have used the unpopularity of the civil war to carry the tax,-and hence, even now, the slaveholders are being sick of the war. The Hon. Mr. Gilmer, Ex-M. C., ever an opponent of secession, though obliged to yield to it, has been very instrumental in enacting the law. The Hon. Mr. Graham (Mr. Fillmore's Secretary of the Navy) was very instrumental in it also,-ditto, Mr. Badger (Gen. Harrison's Attorney-General) Mr. Graham is now talked of for Governor, and strange to say, he is supported by the Democratic organ of the State, the Raleigh S andard, W. W. Holden, editor. In bringing the Hon. Wm. A. Grabam's name forward for this position, the Stand and says:

"Why such an anxiety on the part of the per se secession no-party stripe, to know who is to be the next Governor of North Carolina? We think their anxiety may be relieved in some degree by telling them who the people will not have to rule over the destinies of North Carolina. First, they will not have a foreigner (meaning the editor of the Raieigh Journal) Secondly, they will not have a Vankee (meaning the editor of the Raleigh Register,) both secesh. Thirdly, they will not have a secessionist of the South Carolina school. And that there may not be any doubt who is meant under the third head, we will define the term by remarking that the people want no man to preside over the destinies of the State who made the election of Mr. Lincoln the occasion for breaking up

A REBEL " JOAN D'ARC" AT FRONT ROYAL .-The army correspondence of the Philadelphia

At the hotel in Front Royal, on the night of the isth, your correspondent saw an accomplished prostitute, who has figured largely in the rebel cause, and having seen her but a short time previous at Martinsburg, her presence at Front Royal at a time when the rebels were surrounding it, aroused suspicions that she meant mischief She was pointed out to the military commanders there, and her arrest advised. It is now known that she was the bearer of an extensive correspondence between the rebels inside and outside of our lines. I have the following statement from an officer who participated in the battle at Front

"After you left Front Royal, Belle Boyd made strip to Winchester in company with a cavalry officer. While there she was arrested by the military authorities, but, with her usual adroitness and assumed innocence she got clear of any charge of treachery, and returned to Front Royal sgain An hour previous to the attack on Colonel Kenly Belle went out on a rise of ground south of the town, and was seen to wave her handkerchief towards the point from which the center of the attack was made."

Your correspondent cannot vouch for the strice accuracy of all the foregoing, but undeniable p of exists here of her treason. Belle now reposes on her laurels in the Confederate camp.

THE CASE OF COL. CORCORAN.-The return to Fortress Monroe of Col. Hanson, of the Second Kentucky Regiment, Rebel army, who was sent to Gen. Huger by Gen. Wool to be exchanged for Col. Corcoran, and the report that Gen. Huger declined to effect the exchange, has created considerable surprise at Washington. Letters from Gen. Wool explain the matter by giving the reply of Gen. Huger, which is that no more exchanges will be made until the privateersmen in our possession are delivered up. It will be remembered that the Rebeis held Cois. Corcoran, Wilcox and others as hostages to be treated as privateersmen were, but it was not supposed that they were to be exchanged only for those. Nice, however, as is-the requirement of the Rebels, it will probably be speedily granted. The privateersmen are already at Fortress Monroe, and Mr. Odell goes thither to morrow to see they are promptly sent o Gen. Huger, and hoping to return in a few days, bringing Cols. Corcoren and Wilcox, and Union prisoners to the number of the pirates with him.

THE BATTLE OF SHILOH - Beauregard's Officia! Report.—Beauregard's official report of the bat-tie of Shiloh is at hand. He did not, he admits, succeed in his object, which was to overwhelm Grant, and lost his commanding General and 10,699 men in the conflict. He was compelled to retire to his entrenchments; and yet he speaks of the whole affair as a great success. He dwells at length upon the triumphs of the first day, praises without limit the gallantry of his officers.
and says soldiers could not have done better if they had been the Old Guard of Napoleon. Of the second day his narrative is meagre, and merely observes that the reinforcements of our side were so numerous and so constant that he deemed it best to retire. He reiterates the assertion that he did in good order. He exaggerates our losses aiso to nearly double of what they were, and con-ceals the names of several of his distinguished officers known to have failen. Finally he pleads a want of time for going into minute details of the loss, and says nothing of the cannon and equipments recaptured from him on the second

Financial.—New York papers of vesterday say:—There is no marked feature in the stock market to-day excepting the firmness in Government securities, which are in good demand at improving prices. The 6's of 1881 sold up to 10%, and afterward touched 104. The 7:30 per cent. Treasury notes were in good demand, and could not be bought at the close under 106—an advance of % per cent. We quote: Oregon war loan, half yearly, 101%; U. S. 6's, of 1881, coupons, 104%; Ohio State 6's, 102, Illinois war loan, 96; Indiana 6's, 90%; Michigan 7's, 104; Virginia 6's, 56%; Missouri 6's, 51; California 7's, 95%; foreign exenange firm.

LATE TELEGRAPHIC NEWS. FURTHER FROM CORINTH.

Gen. Hallock's Official Report of the Confederate Evacuation. Immense Strength of the Confederate

Position Abandoned. Precipitate Retreat of the Enemy.

Two Thousand Prisoners Taken. Beauregard Distrusts His Army.

His Troops Discouraged and Demoral-

ized. The following dispatch was received at the

War Department this morning :

HEADQUARTERS CAMP NEAR CORINTH, May 30 .- Hon. Edwin M. Stanton, Secretary of War : The enemy's position and works in front of Corinth were unexpectedly strong. He cannot occupy a stronger position in his flight. This morning he destroyed an immense amount of public and private property, stores, provisions, wagons, tente, &c.

For miles out of the town the roads are filled with arms, haversacks, &c., thrown away by his

A large number of prisoners and deserters bave been captured, and are estimated by Gen. Pope

at two thousand. General Beauregard evidently distrusts his army, or he would have defended so strong a

His troops are generally much discouraged and demoralized.

In all their engagements for the last few days, their resistance has been weak.

W. H. HALLECK, Major General.

FROM NEWBERN, N. C. Released Prisoners Coming-Illsess of Col

Corceran-Arrival of Gov. Stanley. NEW YORK, May 30 .- The steamer Jersey Blue. from Newbern, N. C., with mails and passengers,

arrived this evening. Four hundred released Union prisoners from Salisbury, are in the steamer Cossack, at New bern, and will leave for the North immediately. The balance of our men will also be released this

Col. Corcoran, who is quite ill, and many other Union officers at Salisbury, N. C., will not be released. Gov. Stanley arrived in Newbern last Monday. There was no public reception of him. Affairs were very quiet in Newbern.

FROM GENERAL McCLELLAN'S ARMY. [Correspondence of the Philadelphia Press.] HUGER's FARM, on the Chickahominy, May 26. Our pickets have been along the Chickshominy creek, and from the demonstrations made by the rebels on the other side it is expected that our men will meet with considerable opposition in ent has at times been guarding

they had not the daring to attempt. The party doing picket duty on the other side was part of a regiment of Zouaves, uniformed in red caps and breeches and white shirts-a very conspicuous uniform. They were posted in an open field, and, as soon as our men advanced to the creek, would withdraw into a dense wood, and attempt to draw them on, but our officers re-

the creek. Their orders were not to fire unless

the rebels attempted to cross the river, and this

Our pickets several times attempted to draw the enemy's fire, as many as twenty of them grouping tegether for the purpose; but the rebels refused. Their purpose evidently is to draw our men on into the woods on the opposite side of the creek, and then attempt to snare them.

strained them.

The Chickshominy at this point is about seventy feet wide, and at the site of the burnt New Bridge is about twelve feet deep, though at other points it is considerably less. The other side is very swampy, and the bridge to be erected will be one hundred and thirty feet long. The engineers made an examination of the banks this morning, in order to ascertain the most suitable place for the new bridge. They did so under the protection of our pickets, but the rebels made no opposition The old bridge was built on piles, which are burned off down to the water's edge, and the engineers thought it would be better to build a new bridge on pontoons, than to reconstruct the old one, and are now diligently at work

to accomplish their object
Tuesday Monning, May 27 — The storm of yes terday continued until this morning, when the wind veered round to the north, and the sun shone out in all his wonted glory. The rain fell in such copious quantity, however, that it was idle to think of marching any distance, especially as our route would lie through an enemy's country, so that the order was countermanded. The sun being out so bright during the day, will soon dry up the roads, and, as the pontoon bridge is ready, we will no doubt murch this afternoon.

During the night a battery of artillery was sent to the creek to protect the working party, but no annoyance was given by the rebels. For about the last thirty minutes-it is now bout 2 p. m .- we have heard sharp firing off to the right, some six or eight miles distant, in the direction of Gen. Porter's division, and have no doubt but that we will be ordered to advance some time during the night or morning. If so, and the rebels offer a determined resistance, a general battle may be brought on before night.

Just as I finished the above paragraph, a lull began between the reports, and in a few minutes they ceased. About half an hour afterwards we heard some ten or twelve reports, when they ceased altogether. About seventy reports were heard. The mail will be closed before I will be able to ascertain the cause. THE BALL OPENED.

A few minutes later, after occasional s hots, the affair on our right is becoming somewhat serious. The reports of the discharge and explosio n of the heils can be heard very distinctly; while volley after volley of musketry peals upon the ear. The firing of artillery is very sharp; while the sound of the musketry is at times almost continuous. The balloon is up, on a line almost directly to

the west of our encampment, and apparently in the vicinity of the engagement. Our men are becoming very much interested and stand in excited groups in various parts of the encampment, watching the operations of the balloon. listening to the reports of the mus ketry

and artillery, and debating on the prospect of an immediate advance. A short time ago, when the pickets were relieved, and were leaving the creek, the rebe is brought up a piece of antillery, and threw four shells after them, but without doing any damage.

Our fresh pickets occupy the same line, but have not been molested. The men are in good spirits, ready and spoiling

for the fight. THE REBELS OUT-GENERALED-THE CHICKAHOM-

INY NO DEFENSE. [Correspondence of the Philadelphia Inquirer.] THREE MILES BEYOND BOTTOM'S BRIDGE, May 25.—The information derived from the prisoners taken at Williamsburg was to the effect that the Union forces would be obliged to fight a terrible battle before they could cross this insignificant stream—the Chickshominy. The enemy, no doubt, intended to make this river the line of their defense; but, thanks to the skill of General McClellan and other scientific officers, their whole plans were futile. Three hundred thousand men could not now defend Richmond, according to the original rebel plan, for the reason of the peculiar disposition of the Union forces. They are obliged to fall back to the outskirts of Richmond, and form new plans. They are completely

out-generaled. Thousands of troops crossed Bottom's Bridge to-day, pushing on to take part in the great fight for the maintenance of the Constitution as handed down to us by our forefathers.

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The Chickshominy river at Bottom bridge is of little account—some ten miles down stream, near Long bridge, the river begins to look somewhat respectable. The mules in the army train could almost drink it dry at this point. The shore on each side of the river is low and wet, probably very good meadow land. Dense woods are on the hills adjoining these meadows.

The shores of the Chickshominy could be made very strong for a defensive position, and

made very strong for a defensive position, and the enemy no doubt intended to avail themselves of these natural defences, but science and genius knocks all their prope from under them, and away they go. Thus it will ever be, while we have such a man as Gen. McClellan at the head of our army.

ANCTHER GRAND AFFAIR-THE ENEMY DRIVEN FROM THEIR POSITION-A SUCCESSFUL RECON-NOISSANCE.

May 26th -Gen. Nagle's brigade started out yesterday afternoon on a reconnsissance, for the purpose of ascertaining where the enemy were, and also took possession of a cross road, some nine miles from Richmond.

The brigade moved cautiously along the main road, and when in the neighborhood of the cross

The brigade moved cautiously along the main road, and when in the neighborhood of the cross roads came across the enemy in force, consisting of artillery, infantry and cavairy. Firing commenced with spirit on both sides. Gen. Nagice opened the ball, and made it so hot that the enemy beat a hasty retreat, when our forces took their deserted position at the cross roads, and held it deserted position at the cross roads, and held it

entil the remainder of the division came up. This position is now far within our lines.
Yesterday the shrill whistle of the locomotive could be heard in the distance, down towards the could be heard in the distance, down towards the White House. Soon the sound approached nearer and nearer, and then we knew that the railroad was open from West Point to our army. To-day three trains have been running all day, transporting commissary stores to Bottom's Bridge. This will save a great deal of teaming over some very bad roads. It rained yesterday, and the consequence is, the roads are almost impassable. The transportation by teams is hard work in this

GREAT BATTLE IMMINENT -THE ENEMY I GREAT FORCE-A POSSIBILITY OF GOING INTO TRENCHES AGAIN-MASSES OF REBELS ON ALL THE APPROACHES TO THE CITY. [Correspondence New York Times] In Camp, ten miles from Richmond, May 24 -

Matters seem to be very near the culminating point, with the army of the Potomac, to-day. We cannot advance but very few miles without bringing on a general engagement, if the enemy remains in his present position. There seems to be no longer a doubt of the intention of the rebels. They have concentrated their forces, and, like a desperate gambler, concluded to stake their all on the hazard of a die.

The hope that many entertained of their retreat to a point further South seems to have vanished, and we are looking for the bloodiest battle of the war before our gallant troops shall march to the music of the Union up the streets of the coveted

will General McClellan offer immediate battle?
It is to be hoped not. When so much is at stake it were folly to venture on an uncertainty, when a few days' time will enable him to make our success a certainty. There are heavy Parrots at Yorktown that can soon be brought here, whose extended range would startle the confident denizens of Richmond, when once planted on the banks of the Chickshominy. In other words, it may not be impossible—it to-day seems prob able—that our troops will have to go into the trenches again. Better that than defeat.

Our left having safely passed the Chickahom-iny, on the Bottom Bridge road, it was thought that no stand would be made. Yesterday we learned differently. Our extreme advance, under Gen. Sherman, made a reconnoisance to the right of our line, in the direction of the Mechanicsville turnpike, and found the enemy in force. A spirited artillery fight ensued, which ended with no other result than to show the position of the enemy. The New Bridge road, and in fact all the approaches on their left, are well covered and protected by their guns. As to the number of their forces there can be but little doubt but what they have concentrated sufficient to outnumber us greatly. This is not particularly disheartening, when we remember that in this force there are many who are conscripts, and more who are undisciplined and poorly equipped.

LATE FROM THE SOUTH. The Vicksburg Warg reports that "prudential preparations are being made by the government to save the valuable stores which have accumulated at Memphis. Everything that could be of service to the army in the whole city has been turned over to the officials by the business men, and this, too, was done with the utmost cheerful-ness in almost every instance. The supplies thus secured are enormous in quantity, and the soldiers will have reason to thank the generous and patriotic citizens of the Bluff City for a long time. f course this was not done without sacrifices being made in many instances, but the general verdict is-better thus than that the should fall into the hands of the enemy."

The Richmond Whig says :- "Gov. Baylor, of Arizona, was lately in Vicksburg, on his way to Richmond, and spoke very favorably of affairs in that Territory. He is confident of being able to hold it. Fort Craig, he thinks, has ere this fallen into our hands, and Gen. Sibley will soon have Fort Union. He says between six and seven thousand Marian. thousand Mexican troops, who had espoused the Federal cause, have abandoned it, and are now crossing. Colonel Irwin's 49th Pennsylvania with us. He speaks very highly of the country, has had the post of honor during the morning. and says it is the most valuable in the Confede. MULES FOR SALE—One pair of fit

THE DESTRUCTION OF THE MERRIMAC. The Whig says: "The pilots of the late Confederate States steamer Virginia, request a suspension of public opinion as to the statements resp cting themselves, appeared Monday morning in the published official report of Commodore Tatnall, detailing the loss of that invaluable, steamer. The pilots state that the investigation which will doubtless be had in a few days, will put the matter in its proper light. "In this connection (says the Petersburg Ex

press) we may add that evidences, which cannot be doubted, reach us daily of the terror which the Virginia created with the entire Yankee fleet. The enemy themselves being the witnesses, she could have passed Old Point and captured every vessel in Chesapeake bay or York river without resistance. What hope can a people have when such an engine of warfare is wantonly destroyed. Reported Battle in Giles county.

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YOUNG MEN. STOP AND READ: THEN TRY!—Young men who are troubled by bad desams and especially those who suffer from that destroying malady. Emissions during start of a stroying malady. Emissions during start of those who suffer from that destroying malady. Emissions during start of those who suffer from that destroying malady. Emissions during start of those who suffer from that destroying malady. Emissions during start of those who suffer from that destroying malady. Emissions during start of the stroying malady. Emissions during start of the stroying malady. Emissions during the stroying malady. The stroy press) we may add that evidences, which cannot

The Whig of the 21st says: "The Lynchburg Virginian of yesterday says that intelligence has been received there of a very successful affair in Giles county. A large force of the enemy, sup posed to be about five thousand, was caught between the forces of Generals Heth and Marshall, near the narrows of New River. The enemy seeing their predicament, broke and fled withou making a fight. Some of them took to the woods and others to the river, throwing away everything that could impede their progress. Between fifteen hundred and two thousand of them were captured.' It is said that four splendid mountain howitzers, imported by the enemy from Belgium, were a part of the booty secured by our troops. They surrendered all their arms and property and were paraded We have reason to believe this news was confirmed by official dispatches received here vesterday.

The Waig discusses with much anxiety the question of

FOOD FOR RICHMOND "The city was never more crowded than it now s, and the question of 'feeding the multitude ssembled here is one that challenges attention The monopoly of the means of transportation by the quartermasters and commissaries of the Confederate government is the chief cause of the scarcity of provisions in this city. Little or no regard has been paid, as we understand, to the necessities of the community. If one day in seven had been conceded to the railroad companies for the exclusive accommodation of the public, it is probable that the supplies of bacon, butter, etc., would have been much larger, and that instead of a scarcity there might have been something like an adequate supply of bread and meat, etc. The encroachments of the enemy, the confusion prevailing in some districts of the interior from which supplies have been received, the withdrawal of rolling stock and other causes, may render useless any attempt at this time to afford relief; but no harm could result from an official notification from the heads of the departments mentioned, that on certain days of the week the railroad companies would be at liberty to trans-port provisions or breadstuffs to this city, without 'let or hindrance' from the Confederate au-

The Warg of the 21st fears that the city may

have its supplies stopped by a sudden cavalry dash of McClellan upon the railroads: "We must call the attention of the Quarter master and Commissary General to the importance of organizing transportation upon the James River Canal. That work will be found adequate to conduct the communication with the upper country, if timely steps shall be taken to put all the batteaux and canal boats in order. It is plain that the enemy may make a cavalry dash upon our rairoads and intercept their use, but if the canal be put and kept in good working order, the sup-plies of the upper country can be brought down with sufficient rapidity to maintain our army. We hope this important measure will be attended to immediately. Indeed we trust it has already received the attention of the Confederate and canal authorities. Let not an indignant public be awakened suddenly to the important fact of an insufficient communication with the interior. Let not the Confederate authorities give occasion to comments which impair public confidence in the cause; and let the President of the canal take measures that Virginia shall receive an adequate reward in the safety of her capital, for the liberal wisdom with which she has cons ructed that im-

"We infer from reported movements of the enemy that it is his purpose to move on our railroads and interrupt our communication with the interior. We have no fear of the 'circumvaliation' of which we hear, unless the Yankees advance far enough to command our railroads permanently, and if to do this a test of the command of the server.

Ordinance Office, May 17, 1862.

The quantity of lead required by the above around the time for making the proposals is extended to the 4th of August, 1862.

August, 1862.

Brigadian Server. far enough to command our railroads perma-nently, and if to do this a part of their army will have to be separated from their base of supplies, and they will have to expose themselves to a flank movement "

From Gen. Burnside's Division. [Correspondence of the Philadelphia Press.] DEPARTMENT OF NORTH CAROLINA, BURN-IDE's COAST DIVISION, May 23 .- A few days ago, a squadron of the 3d New York Cavalry made a successful foray in the neighborhood of Washington, N. C., and succeeded in capturing a number of noted rebels, among whom were Fred. Stanley and Capt. Button. These two individuals

Stanley and Capt. Button. These two individuals have the honor of being the plunderers who removed the Hatterss lamps and apparatus from Washington into the interior some time ago. They were brought to Newbern, and given free board, for the time being, in the city boarding house. The only light which will now trouble them will be the light of others days.

The report in the Northern papers that General Burnside was moving upon Weldon in force, was not correct. Things are still in statu quo, and may continue so for some time. Part of the division were under marching orders last week, but they were subsequently countermanded. We may march within a few hours, and then, again, we may remain here for some time. When we do advance, and where we bring up, you shall be duly informed.

From certain unmistakable circumstances, with

ESTREET MAPPIST CHURCH.-The Rev. Dr. Samson will preach TO-MOR-ROW MORNING, and the Rev. Prof. Shure in the EVENING, at a quarter before 8 o'clook. 1t* REV. CHARLES SPEAR AND MRS.
Spear will give addresses in the 18th street
Presbyterian Charch on SARBATH AFTER
NOON, at 1% o'clock, and in Willard's Hall at 7%
in the evening Topics—"Reform Schools. Hospitals and Prisons in England and America."
m 50-21°

In compliance with a joint resolution of the City Councils, I hereby request the keepers of all public houses where spirituous or formented liquors are sold, to close their establishments on the day of the ensuing municipal election, between the hours of 7 a m. and 7 p. m.

m 30-2t (Intel & Rep.) Mayor.

UNCONDITIONAL UNION MEN, ATTENTION!—A meeting of the executive committees of the different Wards will be held on SATURDAY EVENING, at 8 o'clock, at the Fourth Ward Committee Rooms, on the south side of Prinsylvania avenus, between Four anda half and Sixth streets, over the Monitor Hoase. Prompt attendance is requested

By order:

WM. DiXON,

m 30-2t

Chairman. WE THE UNDERSIGNED GROCERY

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G, E. KENNEDY.

m30 4t* DEPARTMENT OF METROPOLITA

POLICE—At the meeting of the Board of
Metropolitan Police, held on the 29th day of May Metropolitan Police, held on the 29th day of May instant, it was

Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to give notice through all the papers of the city that it is the determination of the Board of Commissioners of the Metropolitan Police to have pace and order maintained throughout the city on Monday, June 3d the annual election day, and especial care will be taken that the poils shall be unobstructed, and that voters are not interfered with in the exercise of their rights. Resolved, That the Metropolitan Police be es pecially instructed to strictly enforce the law against all who may be found with deadly weapons

on their persons.

The above resolutions of the Board will be strictly enforced, and to that end the whole force of the department will be called into action. The co-operation of citizens in the effort to preserve order on the day of election is confidently expected.

By order.

By order.

Superintendent of Police.

BIBLE LECTURE BY THE REV. 6.
W. Samson, D. D., at the Rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association, Pennsylvania avenue, be'ween 6th and 7th streets, every SATURDAY EVENING, at 8 o'clock. Public coordially invited. Young Men's Prayer Meeting from 7% to 8 p. m.

EVERY ONE'S INTEREST-TO THE CITIZENS, STRANGERS, AND SOLDIERS!—I have just received a very large and fine assoriment of Spring Clothing, which I am offering at our usual low prices, at No. 460 Seventh street, opposite Post Office, near F. fe 27-5m

THE UNION PRAYER MEETING Will be holden every day this week in the Lutheran Church, (Rev. J. G. Butler's,) at the corner of lith and H streets, commencing at 4% e'clock p. m., and continued but one hour.

TOR SALE.—The subscriber, desiring to retire from business, will sell on advantageous terms the WOOD AND COAL YARD now kept by him, on Fourteenth street, between 6 and New York avenue. The business is a large and increasing one, and a most favorable opportunity is now offered to any one desiring to engage in it. m31 2w* well broke MULES.

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DROPOSALS FOR LEAD.

Ordnance Office, War Department, Washington, hisy 20, 1882.

Proposals will be received by this Department until 5 p. m. on the evening of the 4th of June, for the delivery at the following Arsenals, as soon as possible, of

possible, of
5,000 TONS OF LEAD, as follows:
At the Watervliet Arsenal, West Troy, New
York, 2000 tons.
At the New York Arsenal, Governor's Island,
New York, 1,000 tons
At the Allegheny Arsenal, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, 1,000 tons.
At the St Louis Arsenal, St Louis Management At the St. Louis Arsenal, St. Louis, Missouri, 1,000 tons.

The lead must be Galena or other American, Stalburg, or soft English, of the most approved

Proposals will be received for lots of 200 tons and upwards
Bidders will state explicitly the time and amount of each delivery.
Failure to deliver at a specified time will subject the contractor to a forfeiture of the amount to be delivered at that time.

Parties obtaining contracts will be required to enter into bonds with proper securities for its faithful performance.

The Department reserves to itself the right to reject any bid.

Proposals will be addressed as follows: Gen.
J W. RIPLEY, Chief of Ordnance Washington, D. C., and should be endorsed "Preposa's for m 21 sotied"

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, & WASHINGTON, D. C., May 29, 1822.

SEALED PROPOSALS WIND be received at this Department until Taesday, the tenth day of June, at it m., for furnishing the materials and executing the Painting of the Iron Work of the New Dome of the U. S. Capitol.

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NOTICE,—CHANGE OF DAYS.—On and after Tuesday, June 3d, the Steamer THOMAS COLLVER will make three trips each week to Mount Vernon, on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday, leaving her wharf at the foo t 7th stree, at 10 o'clock a. m. Fa.e for the round trip, \$150

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